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SUBJ: VRADYNI APPEALS SUSPENSIONS; EX-PM STEPHANOPOULOS
CONDEMNS BAN

REF ATHENS 3216

1. VRADYNI PUBLISHER GEORGE ATHANASSIADES APPEALED
MILITARY ORDER (ATHENS 3216) SUSPENDNG PUBLICATION FOR
ADDITIONAL SIX MONTHS. ACCORDING TO PRESS ACCOUNTS
APPEAL FILED WITH STATE COUNCIL ON JUNE 1.

2. ONLY ATHENS NEWS REPORTED FORMER PREMIER STEPHANOS
STEPHANOPULOS' STATEMENT CONDEMNING VRADYNI'S CONTINUED
SUSPENSION. STEPHANOPOULOS IS QUOTED AS SAYING BAN
COMING AT TIME WHEN COUNTRY SHOULD BE UNITED TO DEFEND
ITS INALIENABLE RIGHTS HAS SHOCKED PUBLIC OPION.
HE ADDED "I WISH ALSO TO UNDERLINE THE INHUMANITY OF
THIS DECISION BY WHICH 350 HONEST WAGE EARNERS --MEMBERS
OF VRADYNI STAFF, DISTRIBUTORS, PRINTERS, ETC--WERE
SENTENCED TO UNEMPLOYMENT."
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